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ISAAC FISHER HERE JULY 4

PRIZE-WINNER WILL APPEAR AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Noted University Editor Of Fisk U. Won First Prize Offered By St. Louis Post-Dispatch On The Subject Of "Why People Should Come To Missouri."

PROF. ISAAC FISHER

Extraordinary program will be the attraction of the Pine St. Department Y. M. C. A. auditorium, July 4, when Prof. Isaac Fisher, educator, orator and scholar will speak. He is the most honored son of his Race along his line, because of his peculiar fitness and adaptability for research work.

A Prize Winner—Prof. Fisher has entered many contests of varied nature and subjects, and always received favorable mention.

Fisher's motto when he writes is, "Get the truth," and nothing swerves him from getting to the very bottom of anything in which he is interested. "When I examine a subject," he says, "I am not white, nor black, neither Democrat, Republican, nor Progressive; neither a free trader nor a protectionist; neither Methodist nor Baptist; and I lay aside, absolutely, my personal prejudices, and seek for the truth."

The most recent of these prizes was announced in Everybody's Magazine for September, when the first prize of five hundred dollars was awarded to him for the best essay on the subject "What We've Learned About Rum." Of this essay the editors of Everybody's Magazine write: "This article is selected by us from nine thousand letters on the best, affirmed discussion of rum. Certain other letters have presented more extensive scientific analysis, but have confined the discussion to particular phases. Others have been brilliant in literary quality; but Mr. Fisher's is the most gracious and sure in the statement of facts. Mr. Fisher's letter comes up the tests about rum with admirable comprehensiveness and a lofty sincerity of style, and offers some remarkable sane suggestions."

If any man in America deserves the title, "Doctor of Philosophy," it is this young Negro, graduate of a school of no Negro grade—that school to which he has done, again and again, honor; work in the philosophic exposition of economic principles of world wide importance than any university requires of candidate for the doctorate. Without even mentioning a large number of such contests in which the prizes were less than ten dollars, this man, a Negro, a Tuskegee graduate, has been winner among twenty or more times in nation-wide contests with the best brains in America, of all races. He has won in the following subjects:

What We've Learned About the Rum Question $500.00
German and American Methods of Regulating Trusts (Alone and unaided Mr. Fisher had to master in a few months sufficient knowledge of German to be able to write this essay) 400.00
Ten of the Best Reasons Why People Should Go to Missouri 100.00
A Plan to Give the South a System of Highways Suited to Its Needs 100.00
Scales and the Humorists 50.00
Dogs of the Czars of Adam Malcolm 50.00
The Relation Between Manual training in the Public Schools and Industrial Education 50.00
The Most Practical Method of Beginning a Reduction of the Tariff 10.00

(Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge, President of the United States Tariff Board, this essay was sent to that body for its use.)

These are only the "big" essays he has received. At the convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, in Toronto, Canada, Mr. Fisher's paper on "Advertising and Selling" was selected by the committee on Awards as one of the "ten or twelve best essays on the subject," thereby giving him a winning place in the first international contest he has entered.

TITANIC POEM

His broad sympathy was further shown when the 75-starred Titanic went down, he added to his prize properties of the sea. Touched by the story of the passing of Mr. and Mrs. Straus, Mr. Fisher wrote a five stanza poem, "The Last Kiss Memory of Devotion, Long an Appreciation Mrs. Isidor Straus." This was published in The Reform Advocate, Rabbi Small Synagogue paper, Chicago, Illinois, and Saul Simon's father:

"Midst the changing scenes of wreckful sea
We have journeyed mile by mile,
Darkness into our footsteps have material been;
Now, in death, I will not fall thee, let whatever will betide—
I am ready! Let our way bide.

"He will keep thee. He will strengthen thee. They shall stand before his throne.
They shall see him face to face and with Him be;
They behold the glorious, in His kingdom fair divine;
Where no sorrow, no pain and all kinds of soft drinks and watermelon on the sea."

ALVIN B. SMITH, Prop.

ONLY NEGRO ON PROGRAM

The writer-educator-orator has been honored again and again. To give but one illustration, when the Committee of One Hundred, composed of the most prominent citizens of Chicago, arranged to celebrate, in 1910, the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Theodore Parker, they decided to invite Isaac Fisher to speak for the American Negro, and he was the only Colored man on a program which included men and women from the United States, Europe and India, and which was graced by such names as Prof. George Vincent, Edwin D. Mead, Dr. Frank W. Gunsaulus, Jane Addams, Mrs. Fiang Young, Jenkin Lloyd Jones, Judge Julian Mack, Emil G. Hirsch and others of no less national and international fame.

So well was young Fisher's address received—and his subject was, "How the Negro Kept Faith"—that at the last moment of the request of prominent hearers, he was placed on the list of banquet speakers with men and women who were regarded as the "cream of the cream," to use vernacular, who had been notified to advance for his meeting. Nevertheless, Fisher's five-minute speech was the sensation of the evening; he stirred the banquet guests to bursting enthusiasm.

CONVENTION OF WESTERN BAPTISTS

Will Be Held in St. Louis at the Calvary Baptist Church, 3626 Morgan Street, July 15.

The Western Baptist Convention will hold its 15th Annual Session at Calvary Baptist Church, July 14, to 21, 1919. At this time the Messengers from all the Western states will assemble in this city to raise ten thousand dollars ($10,000) for Western College, Macon, Mo.

This convention comprises the states of Indiana, Illinois, Ohio, Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Minnesota, Arkansas and all the states west of the Mississippi and Ohio rivers.

Dr. S. A. Mosley, pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist Church of this city, is president. It is expected that there will be a large delegation; and St. Louis has an opportunity to witness a great gathering of the Baptist family.

PIONEER INFTS. ARE ARRIVING

Army transports arriving at American ports have carried detachments of the Pioneer Infantries during the past week. All of the 368th is believed to have arrived and part of the 369th. These are six of these infantries, the 304, 305, 306, 307, 308 and 309. Nearly 1500 St. Louis boys are scattered among all of the regiments except the 307th and 308th. They were selected from boys who were drafted in June July and August, 1918, and include all the 21-year-old class of 1918. These boys did not reach the front line trenches, but were in the reserve lines. They, however, had dangerous duties to perform and acquitted themselves with credit, which is shown by the honors which have been conferred upon them by General Pershing. There is little chance of the St. Louis boys reaching home in large units at a time. It is not known just how long they will hold at camps before discharge. Some of them should begin coming in by July 4.

LATER—The 307th Pioneer Infantry has arrived in Philadelphia. There are a few St. Louis boys with this unit.

THE LOCAL NEGRO BUSINESS LEAGUE

The National Negro Business League's date for its annual meeting is drawing near. At a meeting of the Board of Directors some two weeks ago, the temporary headquarters were changed from 3326 Market street to 2242 Market street, and Mr. H. A. Smith, secretary of the league, was authorized to proceed further with all publicity and arrangements. He is now busy and further negotiations with the temporary headquarters may be carried on with Mr. Smith.

A double-page announcement will be out in a few days. President Malone has authorized a deal by publicity writer with Jesse Jones, of the Office of Work of the concessit program has begun and when our representative calls on you, as a merchant or professional man, give him your hundred cooperation. The entertainment committee is making plans for the ward entertainment of the league, with the cooperation of citizens generally.

MASONIC NIGHT AT JEST-A-MERE

Tuesday night, July 1, has been designated as Masonic night at the Jest-A-Mere Theatre. Plenty good Whiskey. Special features will be used for the occasion. This entertainment is under the auspices of the Past Masters Council of Prince Hall Masons. Come out to the coolest place in town for a night of enjoyment. No advance in prices. Two shows, 7 to 9 p. m. and 9 to 11 p. m. Come early.

ICE CREAM PARLOR OPENS SUNDAY ON N. LEFFINGWELL

The Elite Ice Cream Parlor, 714 North Leffingwell, will open Sunday, June 29, carrying a full line of ice cream, soda, candies, cigars, cigarettes and tobacco and all kinds of soft drinks and watermelon.

PEOPLE

Much Enthusiasm Shown in Opening of Membership Campaign. Goal of One Thousand Members Assured.

Amid their new song, to the tune of Yankee Doodle the Y. M. C. A. workers got a good start on their campaign at their meeting Thursday night. A large crowd of workers gathered for the opening. The men are working with great enthusiasm to "Change a Heart."

In the lobby of the new Pine St. Dept. Y. M. C. A. there is a great board containing a thousand hearts. It would be interesting to any of the public to see it.

The Campaign started on June 23 and ends on July 3rd, by which time one thousand men and boys, according to the plans, will be added to the Pine Street Department membership.

Among the new captains who have been added this week are 32nd Division: Captains: W. A. Millner, T. L. Harris, A. C. Chapman, J. R. Inge, F. O. Blount, Pearl Abernathy, B. T. Weaver, Frank Spaniel, Willis Mitchell, Dr. C. C. Wilson, Andrew Wright, T. J. R. Wilson, Chas. Morrison and Ward Greer. New Captains in 33rd Division are: Frank Wilson, R. Williams, J. C. Thomas, T. L. Bay, Fred Shaw, Tecumseh Bradshaw, G. W. Jordan, and Olive Reeves.

The privileges offered to the men in St. Louis are equal to if not superior to that of any other city. St. Louis is one of the places of printed matter put out by the campaigners says: The Pine Street Department Y. M. C. A. is a high-grade, low-cost young men's club. Christian, not sectarian in spirit. It is the next thing to home for the young man away from home. 2. It is a place for a young man to find friends and to make himself a friend to the man who needs friends. 4. It is an athletic organization that does not use men to promote athletics, but uses athletics to develop men. The Y. M. C. A. is: The spirit of Youth with the dew and freshness of the morning. It is the spirit of Manhood pressing forward with shiddy head and burdens. It is the spirit of Christ and His deathless life, and His unquenchable enthusiasm.

An opportunity is afforded to any one, who will to help worthy boys by giving them a membership in the Y. Any one who cares to may help some worthy boy to better his life.

N. A. A. C. P. DRIVE

At the headquarters of the membership campaign of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Mrs. Myrtle Johnson-Hamlin stated that the work was progressing nicely and the chances were bright for a very successful campaign.

Dr. L. M. Hershaw and Jas. H. Tanner, who seem to be doing quite a deal of personal work, stated that they needed more personal workers.

It was also stated that headquarters that 26 districts had been established throughout the city, and the schedule system was being put in force. It is understood that Mr. Geo. L. Vaughn, chairman of the Executive Committee, will return about the last of the week to assist in bringing the campaign to a close.

All those who have not joined should do so at once, thus assuring the ten thousand members needed for the local branch.

MEMORIAM IN HONOR OF MADAM C. J. WALKER

Services commemorating the death of Madam C. J. Walker will be held at St. Paul A. M. E. Church, Sunday, June 29, at 3 p. m.

ORGANIZED LABOR WILL ADMIT RACE

Unions Scramble Over Each Other in Move to Recognize Colored Men Who Have Begun to Show Competitive Strength. Whites Now Willing to Let Colored Affiliate.

By Associated Negro Press.

ATLANTIC CITY, June 26.—The great national convention of the Federation of Labor of the United States made demands for justice as well as their fight for industry from the South during the war, was reasonable for the first time on the part of 16 or 18 Colored men who are delegates from the convention which resulted in the unconditional promise of the American Federation of Labor in the second week of its convention to open the door of all labor organizations to the black man.

The request came from the platform by no less a person than Samuel Gompers for an announcement from all unions who would welcome Negroes into their ranks or had done so in the past.

From all parts of the hall the chief officials of the big unions responded favorably. It seemed like a Methodist revival or Baptist heaven not up to nearly that short drive no color line in their organizations.

But the Negro delegation was not yet easily put off, and at least one of the Negroes, Joe Jule Jones, the Colored man who is a creator of the Central Labor Council, of Norfolk, Va., recommended to labor forces about the very treatment the Negro has received in the United States.

The whole matter of the race question, which by a last time division the white men from the black in labor circles, is now in the hands of the Executive Council of the Federation of Labor, and it is stated this and "Jim Crow" will be dismissed on a step from Memphis to Atlanta. It is rumored that the Boosters' Club has succeeded in charting "The St. Paul" for a trip of the day of the people.

DAILY PAPERS BEGIN TO SEE THE LIGHT OF FAIR PLAY

Appeals To League Of Natioos For Relief From Cruelty And Oppression, By People Of Our Racial Group. Has Been Humiliatiog To Our Delegates At Paris.

By Associated Negro Press.

CHICAGO, June 26.—A rareful survey, covering the entire nation, has disclosed to the Associated Negro Press the fact that there is a new awakening for justice in behalf of the people of our racial group.

In speaking of this change of sentiment, the outpouring of various sorts, are not overlooked. It is a fact, however, that there has been more written and spoken truth, in the last six months, relative to the injustices heap on Negroes than has ever before occurred since slavery was abolished.

The expression quoted herewith from the Pittsburg Chronicle is typical rather than exceptional, so far as the newspapers are concerned. For some reason, the editorial writers seem to have "struck their gait," on the subject of fair play, and are going at the hypocracies in a fashion that should bring cheer to any people.

Speaking with reference to the denial of rights, to the light of the conspicuous attitude of the Peace Conference, the Chronicle says:

"These American citizens are not merely denied their political rights; they are denied that "protection of life without distinction based on race, color or previous condition" to which they are entitled by ordinary considerations of humanity, as well as by specific provision in the Constitution of the United States. In effect they are calling attention to the humiliating fact that the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendment to the Federal Constitution are virtually dead letters. They have heard that the proposed League of Nations is to insure justice to all the people of the earth, and they want, their share. Our Negro citizens are not to be blamed for their appeal to what they suppose to be an all-powerful, super-natural organization. Other races are doing exactly the same thing with reference to their own particular problems and injustices. But how humiliating it must be to our delegates at Paris to hear a body of their fellow citizens appealing to the League of Nations for the relief from cruelty and oppression. They can scarcely escape the convictco that reform, like charity, should begin at home and that a splendid start could be made by safeguarding the life and liberties of our best of Negro citizens of the Southern states."

Concerning this, A. D. Baker said: "That kind of sentiment cannot swing in the air very long without hitting something."

EMMETT SCOTT AND THE WORLD'S WAR

In Address Before N. A. A. C. P. at Cleveland, Gives Figures to Show How Negroes Were Discriminated Against During the War.

(Special to The Argus)

CLEVELAND, O., June 23.—Addressing a public rally of the National Association for Advancement of Colored People, in St. John's A. M. E. Church, East 40th street and Central avenue S. E., Emmet J. Scott, assistant to Secretary of War Baker, predicted the formation of a Colored division, officered by Colored men, in the reorganized regular army.

While commending Secretary Baker for his efforts to function without prejudice to the Colored soldiers," he pointed out that only 1200 officers were selected commissions white the number of Negroes in service warranted 5000 commissions.

"The administration of the selective service act, was fair to Colored and white men," he said, adding that there were but five Colored men appointed to draft boards throughout the country.

The Colored race, according to Mr. Scott's statistics, represented 10 per cent of the draft registration. The rate of rejection was lower among Colored men than among whites, he said, the percentage of rejections for Negroes being 34 to 74 for whites.

"We were the only group in America," said Mr. Scott, "who had to fight for the right to fight and then prove we could fight. And we did it."

William Pickens, dean of Morgan college, Baltimore, referring to the service of Colored troops overseas, said "the Colored soldier was safer—and knew it himself—under the shell fire of no man's land than said the prevailing taunts of race hatred back home."

"Courage!" he questioned. "Why, it requires more courage for a Colored man to board a Pullman car down about Vicksburg, Miss., than for a white man to go to war. Our troops showed that black is a safe color—it won't run."

Rev. John Hurst, bishop of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, of Baltimore, counseled his audience to "hire the best counsel at the bar, if necessary, that the Colored race in America may come to a full realization of its constitutional rights.

In the absence of Moorfield Storey, president of the association, who was reported ill at his home in Boston, Mary White Ovington, New York chairman of the executive board presided.

The conference of the association opened formally at St. John's Church with addresses of welcome by Mayor Harry L. Davis and Paul L. Feiss, president of the Chamber of Commerce. The response will be by Rev. H. C. Bailey, pastor of Antioch Baptist Church, 2407 Central avenue S. E.

OPENING

A fair will be opened July 9th and continue to the 12th, at Victor Spiritual Church, 5014 Delmar, for the benefit of the church, and will be given on The grounds. Many beautiful Models will be on sale. Mrs. J. D. Duke, rector.

NO BOAT OUTINGS THIS SUMMER FOR COLORED PEOPLE

The Colored people of St. Louis will not have an opportunity to enjoy boat outings on the Mississippi this summer according to information obtainable. The only boat which would have been available was the "Liberty" and it is stated this one was seriously damaged on a trip from Memphis to New Orleans. It is rumored that the Boosters' Club has succeeded in chartering "The St. Paul" for a trip of the day of the people.

THE AMERICAN WOODMEN LOSE ANOTHER SUIT

Mrs. Sue's Smith Wins Her Case in Circuit Court. Order Issued Judge T. Rush, Whom They Claim Is a Detriment to Organization.

A judgment was rendered against the American Woodmen in favor of Mrs. Susie A. Smith for $420, with interest, in Judge Falkenhainer's court of the Circuit Division No. 2, last Monday, June 23.

The case went to the Circuit Court on an appeal by W. C. White, the supreme commander, from the Justice Court, where Mrs Smith won the judgment.

This judgment follows close to the decision in favor of J. K. Mitchell against that order in the Circuit Court before Judge Kinnett, and a petition to "suppress Lix Park," an outing place was boasted of the financial condition of his organization that in case a law suit to compel them to pay off. He has employed a large law firm in St. Louis to fight the growing claims against the order but they are losing every legal battle.

Of course, the law firm of Farnberg and Russell is considered of high priced men and W. C. White was quite pleased that he would win out of his many legal entanglements, but they have failed.

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It is a nice place to spend a hot sure hour. Y. M. C. A. Join now.

WHITES START A RACE RIOT IN CHICAGO

One Negro Killed, Another is Dying. Rioters Attack Colored People in Washington Park District. Several Hundred Police Reserves Are Called. Situation Bad.

By Associated Negro Press.

CHICAGO, June 23.—A race war, threatening for weeks, assumed alarming proportions on Thursday South Side last night, when 200 extra police were rushed to the Washington Park District.

One Negro is dead; another was said to be dying last night. Both were victims of a small army of white men who early yesterday set out with the avowed intention of "clearing out the blacks."

Plan Night Battle.

Information was generally distributed among both whites and Negroes that a big fight was to be waged some time during the night in Washington Park.

Police of the South Park board, 200 strong, were rushed to the park and kept an all night vigil. Several hundred reserves were ordered on duty at the Englewood, Fifteenth street, New City and Stock Yards districts.

A special police guard was established at Kenny's undertaking establishment, 5438 S. Halsted street, where the body of the slain Negro was held.

Negro Stabbed and Shot.

The Negro killed was Robert Robinson, 514 W. 54th place. Robinson was simply walking to his home. There had been no fight or disturbance. A gang of savage hoodlums attacked him.

He had been shot several times, stabbed frequently in the back and beaten over the head with billiard cues. The murder occurred shortly after Saturday midnight at 55th street and Princeton avenue.

Ollis Harris, 5647 Grove avenue, is the Negro said to be dying. He was shot through the stomach, stabbed and beaten at 57th street and Lafayette avenue.

Both were attacked by the same mob. Persons questioned by the po

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Lix Park Still Open

We desire to announce to the public and our many friends and patrons that Lix Park is still open and operating. An article appearing in one of the afternoon papers, recently, has had no effect upon the operation of Lix Park and we have been assured by the authorities of the county that Lix Park may stay open and operate so long as the law is complied with. Soft drinks only, ice cream and barbecue served at all times. Good music and dancing. Best of order presented at all times. Lix park will be related to responsible parties, desiring to have picnics and outings, at reasonable prices. See manager on grounds. Lix Park will have its annual Fourth of July celebration next Friday.

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LANE TABERNACLE C. M. E. CHURCH.

Next Sunday will be Missionary Rally Day. Every department of the church is expected to come up with its full assessment. The members are urged to do their best toward making their board 100 per cent in this great move. Dr. N. L. Smith will preach at the morning and evening services. Services will be short and interesting if you want to enjoy a real spiritual feast come to Lane Tabernacle, 3966 Fairfax avenue. Services begin promptly at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock the annual Thanksgiving sermon of the United Loyal Neighbors of the World will be held. All members and friends are asked to be present.

Great and glorious services were held on last Sunday. Visitors are always extended a cordial welcome. If you want a live, wide-awake church home come to Lane and join. Among the many visitors who worshipped at Lane Tabernacle last Sunday were: Mrs. Priscilla Stewart, Hattiesburg, Miss., Mrs. Hattie Walker, Chicago, Ill., Mrs. Walter Tucker, Memphis, Tenn., Mrs. S. Sample Brown and Miss Kathryn Hunt, New York City; Mrs. Manson Bracy, Jackson, Miss.; Mrs. M. E. Person, Jackson, Tenn.; Mrs. Bettie Wilford, Coding, Ky.; Mrs. D. A. Merriwether will address the Epworth League Sunday at 6 p m.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH.

Services were held all day at Corinthian Baptist Church. Morning service was conducted by pastor, and an excellent sermon was preached. At 3 p. m. covenant meeting at which Rev. Walker and members were present. At 8 p. m. evening service was was opened and scripture read by Rev. Mason; St. John 15. The covenant was read by the pastor. One addition to the church. Several unsaved gentlemen asked the prayers of the church. The Lord's Supper was administered and the Holy Spirit was with us all day. Rev. E. A. Robinson, pastor; N. Hopkins, reporter.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY.

The Women's Auxiliary will hold its next meeting with the Bethel Baptist Church A. Hall, president; P. Royster, secretary.

OLIVETTE NOTES.

Olivette Baptist Church has taken on a new appearance since the reconstruction work has been going on. The entire interior has been remodeled to a coat of paint and generally overhauled.

Sunday the Christian Social Club gave a rally and the sum of $47.43 was realized. In the morning the pastor preached at Central Baptist Church and a collection of over $23 was taken there in the interest of Olivette Church.

Beginning Monday, July 7th the week devoted to the dedication of the new remodeled church will be observed. Watch for our circulars and folders. Some very interesting things are going to happen.

Mrs. Violette C. Caston, pastor's wife has gone on her vacation and expects to be away for a month. Sister Martha McBaine will soon leave on her vacation also. They shall be missed and with them go the prayers and best wishes of their many friends.

A baby clinic shall be opened at the Olivette Baptist Church and on Thursday, June 24th, a troop of Boy Scouts was organized by Brother T. Matthew Rodgers and communication sent to Scout Headquarters, Washington, D. C., requesting sanction of the Chief Scout for charter and inspection of troop. It is planned to organize two more troops if this one turns out successfully.

ST. AIRY BAPTIST CHURCH.
3rd and Lafayette

Sunday school at 9:30. Quite an interesting Sunday school lesson for a whole universe "love." Rev. Thomas preached a wonderful sermon from 2nd King, 7th ch. 3d verse. Sunday night quite a numerous crowd was present. Rev. W. M. Cammack read for a text lesson, 13th ch., 1 Cor. Come and see a man that told me all things, was Rev. Thomas' text for the night. Rev. P. R. Royster, pastor, Mrs. H. B. Burton, reporter.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
Bridgeton, Mo.

The County Church Union met with the First Baptist Church, Bridgeton, Mo. Thirty nine being in the meeting. After the business was over a sermon was preached by Rev. J. W. Hunt text Philippians 2 5. "Let This Mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus." Next Thursday night the Antioch Baptist Church will be represented. Rev. T. W. Lee will preach the sermon. Rev. E. D. Colsby, president; Rev. Waddington, secretary; J. W. Hyler, reporter.

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ST. JAMES CHURCH.

The intense heat has had very little effect upon the attendance at the 11 o'clock service at St. James. Large crowds assemble at listen to the wonderful biblical truths presented by the pastor. Last Sunday morning his text was chosen from St. John, 14th chap. 6th verse. Theme "The Personality of Jesus and its influence on religious life." In the concise and philosophical presentation of the subject, (so characteristic of him, the pastor clearly demonstrated that the Christ Spirit upon the lives of men is the dynamic force impelling them on to higher heights and great achievements. His hand is upon the pulse of the world; out of all this confusion, God's Will will be made manifest, and after a while all mankind will acknowledge, "He is the way."

Bishop Denby brought the message Sunday night. The text was selected from Malachi 3 Chap. a part of the 10th verse, "Why do we deal treacherously every man against his brother?"

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ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH.

The Antioch Baptist Church held glorious services all day Sunday. The pastor, Rev. W. L. Perry preached instructive sermons both morning and evening. The Sunday School was largely attended. At 6:30 p. m. the B. Y. P. U. was favored with singing from the White Rose Aid Club. Mrs. Susie Taggit is visiting her daughter in Chicago. Mrs. M. Steele, reporter.

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PLEASANT GREEN BAPTIST CHURCH.

Prayer service was well attended last Sunday. As usual at 11 o'clock. The pastor, Rev. J. K. Parker delivered the last rite in way of memorial sermon to one of the faithful members, Sister Sallie Mitchell, who was an ardent worker of the church and will be missed by all. Her place cannot be filled. At 4 p. m. the annual sermon of the Polar Wave Lodge No. 113 Order of Elks was preached. The Elks is a wonderful benevolent society and deserves much credit for its charity work. The Sunday School was well attended. Little Fannie Bell Lovejoy of 2322 Pine St., six years old, who was a great worker in the mortgage burning rally, presented the pastor, Rev. J. K. Parker a barrel of money as a gift from the winding up of her rally work. Fannie Bell is a bright child and faithful worker in the Sunday School. The B. Y. P. U. rendered a commendable program Sunday in its meeting. The President Mrs. B. A. Hill is working faithfully to keep up the summer attendance. The Mission Circle is also doing a good of charity work. More workers are needed to help keep up this necessary work of caring for the poor and needy. The president, Mrs. Maude Thomas extends and invitation to all. E. D. Buford, reporter.

NEW HOME BAPTIST CHURCH.
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Gave her first rally of the season. Those turning in donations: Rev. J. W. Ellington, $5.37; Sister Ellington, $5.00; Miss Ellington, $4.00; Bro. Owens, $3.00; Sister Owens, $3.56; Miss Cleora Owens,

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$1.43; Sister Perry, $3.00; Sister Adams, $1.02; Bro. Mitchell, 70c; Bro. Hunt, $1.31; Sister Hendrix, $1.07; Sister Jordan, $1.35. We thank our many friends for their help. Total, $54.90.

The Silver Leaf Club No. 1 of the New Home Baptist Church meets the second Tuesday night in each month. Sister Lillie Owens, president. Rev. J. W. Ellington, pastor; Sister Wesley, secretary.

SOUTH KINLOCH PARK SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH.

Splendid services were held in every auxiliary in spite of the rainfall. District Rally No. 2 was a success and Revs. Hopel and Reynolds preached powerful sermons. The Candlelight Rally under the auspices of district No. 2 will take place at 8 p. m. Sunday. Bro. J. Young, captain, Sister Cowins, Lottie Jackson, Alberta Taylor and others are at work to make this the banner rally. The Webster Boys Concert, July 28. Bro. P. S. Scott, captain. The Lady Mason's concert will be July 5. Sister H. Ware's manager. The annual sermon of the Mission Circle will be held the first Sunday in July, 3 p. m., preached by Rev. W. L. Perry, pastor of Antioch Baptist Church. All circles are invited. Bro. L. Brown is on the sick list. Don't forget the first rally and basket dinner July 27th. Sister Holly Jackson, president of the Home Mission Circle held an interesting session Monday evening. For real inspiration that will help you in all the vicissitudes of a christian life, visit this friendly church. Rev. A. P. Harrod, pastor. Sister Estelle Gordon, secretary.

KINLOCH FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

The Mission Circle of the First Baptist under the presidency of Sister Sarah N. Davis is having "Young Ministers Day" every fourth Sunday, in the afternoon which proves quite a success. This gives the young ministers a chance to exercise their gifts. Six young ministers were present Sunday and participated in the services. Rev. L. O. Jackson presided with much dignity and efficiency. Services were enjoyed throughout the day. Our Children's Day is 6th Sunday, June 29, at 2:30 p. m. Bring all the babies and have them blessed. Children's Day Sermon will be preached by the pastor at 11 a. m. The B. Y. P. U. will give its annual lawn fest, Friday, July 6, from 12 noon to 12 p. m. on church lawn. Plenty barbecued meats ready at 12 noon. If you are burdened come to First Baptist and meet Jesus the burden bearer. "If ye have bitter envying and strife in your hearts, glory not, and lie not against the truth." James 3:14. Bro. O. H. Williams, recording clerk; Rev. W. L. Johnson, pastor.

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH No. 1.

On Sunday, June 22, Mt. Olive Baptist Church No. 1 held its annual rally which proved a wonderful success.

Thanks to our many faithful friends and Almighty God.

Many noted ministers were present and delivered most able sermons off the occasion. For which we are inexpressibly grateful. We realize fully that our strength is in our union and we believe that the day is not long hence are the Baptist denomination as a whole will be reunited and work together for the good of humanity and the coming of His Kingdom on earth. I wish to state that thru the untiring efforts of our faithful pastor and the presidents of the various clubs and the strong financial support of our many friends, we were enabled to raise around $1,000 for which we thank God and our many friends profusely. Rev. D. W. Morris, pastor.

NORTH GALILEE BAPTIST CHURCH.

North Galilee Baptist Church is moving forward at a rapid pace. Our pastor was at his best last Sunday morning. His text was "strive to enter in at the straight gate" St. Luke 12:24. In the beautiful picture presented we found ourselves set apart in combat, to struggle against every evil pertaining to ungodliness that we might be counted among them that shall enter in at the straight gate.

For straight is the gate and narrow the way and few there be that find it.

SEVEN CHURCH UNION.

The Seven Church Union held its regular meeting with the Bethel Baptists Church, Monday, June 23. A very inspiring sermon was preached. The next meeting will be held with El Bethel Baptist Church, 638 Athlone Ave. Sermon by Rev. McClain. J. W. Hall, president; A. Martin, secretary.

TRUELIGHT BAPTIST CHURCH.

14th and Poplar Sts.

The power of God, Romans 1st chapter, 13th verse, was the subject chosen by our pastor Sunday morning and as the Holy Spirit endowed him, he delivered this message with power, we can never forget this wonderful lesson. The missionary, Rev. Patterson preached at 8 p. m. from Matthew 7:21, "Do the will of my Father which is in Heaven," as he pictured the many truths, we were much inspired. We will give our general rally at the Pleasant Green Baptist Church, Sunday, June 29th. We desire the presence of everyone. Come and help us in our financial campaign. A free dinner will be served. Rev. R. Clifton, pastor; Bertha Walton, reporter.

OUT OF TOWN NEWS

CARUTHERSVILLE, MO.

By R. A. McKinsey.

Frank Lewis, manager of the weekly boat excursion was drowned shortly after midnight Saturday night. While the boat was in the middle of the Mississippi river. He seemed to have been somewhat intoxicated and while endeavoring to go from the barge where the dancing was going one to the engine boat he missed his footing and fell into the river. His body has never been found... Preach Baker, son of Mrs. Jenny Baker of this city was supposed to have been drowned at Kennett, Mo., Thursday afternoon. Baker and several friends went swimming. Baker went off a distance from his friends and was seen to go down once and never came up. The case remains a mystery. He was under heavy bond for recent trouble and had endeavored to make his escape before. The accident happened in a dredge ditch about 8 feet deep and thickly surrounded by willows. The ditch was thoroughly seined from one end to the other and he has never been found. Baker was a good swimmer... Rev. T. Howard, Rev. Tribe, Percy Gillmore Metrell Nelson and Curtis Lamar returned from the 3rd District Sunday School convention at Point Pleasant, Mo. Saturday. They report a pleasant session... Presiding Elder Jacobs held his quarterly conference at Mt. Zion C. M. E. Church Sunday, preaching an able sermon... The sick list this week: Rosa Gordon, Dora Perry, Lula Arnold, Evelyn Jackson. Mr. Green Hand was purchased a new car last week and spends his afternoon motoring... Don't forget to get your Argus from Rev. McKinsey or the office of Dr. Scurlock.

FREDRICKTOWN, MO.

Josephine Matthews.

Miss Dora Williams returned Saturday from Du Soto where she attended the district conference... Miss Rue Kemp entertained at her birthday party Saturday, a number of young friends. She was the recipient of several presents... Rev. S. Parks returned Saturday from Du Soto after attending the district conference... Mrs. Hannah Allen is still on the sick list... Mrs. Parks entertained at her school dinner, Mrs. M. J. Matthews, Miss Ruth Kemp, Miss Mattie and Josephine Matthews.

NETHERLANDS, MO.

Mrs. Dora Yeager returned home this week after a three weeks' stay in Memphis, where she was under the care of Dr. M. E. Wilkins, her condition seems much improved... The School exhibition given Friday evening, by Mrs. Maud Cunningham was quite a success in every way... The 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Williams surprised and delighted his parents when he made a splendid address Saturday. He has lately returned from school in Memphis... The sick for the week are Master Edmon Williams, Mr. Thomas Bowers, Mrs. Mary Brock received the sad intelligence of the death of her husband, Med Brock, who is in France, we extend to the bereaved family our sympathy... On June 20, Mrs. Mammie Mitchel was the proud recipient of a fine baby boy, the stranger arrived Friday, June 20. Mother and baby are doing fine... Owing to the heavy rains many farmers have suffered among them, Rev. H. Stamps whose crops lie under water caused from the Divide Ditch overflowing.

POPLAR BLUFF, MO.

By Mrs. C. P. Jackson.

A fishing party motored several miles down Black River last Thursday. Those in the party were: Mesdames Thomas, Jackson, Hunter, Hamilton, Tiboo in the party were: Mesdames ing either specimen in the shore, the reporter is unaware, however, a car ladened with good things to eat followed close behind the party, in case they were unsuccessful they were none the loser... Prof. J. H. Davis was a charming host to the stewardess board last Tuesday night at the A. M. E. Church. After business was over the host served a delightful menu which all enjoyed. Mrs. Ben Spencer, president; Mrs. Bettie Jackson, secretary... Mrs. Meuier left Saturday for her home, St. Louis after a stay of three weeks with Mother Hainline... Mr F. Crite received a letter from Mr. Alvin Dake in Angex, France, stating that he was well and his company was preparing in embark for the United States... The Masonic Lodge held election of officers as follows: Messrs. Felix Crite, worshipful master; G. F. Gatewood, secretary; P. W. Davis, S. W.; Louis Fairchild, J. W.; J. Allen, treasurer; F. Boykins, tyler. Regular meetings held second and fourth Friday nights of each month. F. Crite, W. M.; G. F. Gatewood, secretary.

WEBSTER GROVES, MO.

H. J. Simms.

The annual sermon which took place at the First Baptist Church last Sunday under the auspices of the Morning Star Lodge No. 32 was from every angle, a success. Rev T. A. Patterson was the speaker of the hour... Omphalis Temple No. 225, S. M. T. will observe their annual sermon at the First Baptist Church, Sunday, 23 at 2:30 p. m. Music by the Douglass Band Boys... Little Miss Juanita Mills arrived last Friday from a visit in Mt. Vernon, Ill., visiting relatives. She is now the guest of Mrs. L. B. Stephson of St. Louis. Miss Thelma Taylor, Dorothy Williams, Irene Jenkins, Dorthie Nelson, all of Clayton, Mo., were the enjoyable callers of Miss Catherine Monroe last Sunday... Mrs. Moorel and Mr. Isaac Mimms Davis, Ethel Adams and Mrs. Kruna Lane were the agreeable callers of Mrs. E. H. Jones last Wednesday... Mr. Herbie Redmon arrived last Friday from overseas. He had been gone for more than a year... A literary society was organized at the M. E. Church last week with Mrs Vera Brooks as president. They will meet each Friday evening... The Union Picnic comprising the four churches will be held July 6 at Powell's Grove. A pleasant day is anticipated... Mr. and Mrs. Mass of St. Louis, Mrs. Cora Calaway and Margarette of Louisville, Ky were the pleasant guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Beasley last Sunday... Mrs. F. R. Rogers entertained with a four course dinner at her home last Friday in honor of Mrs. Nora Owens Reid and daughter, Mrs. Ethel Beck and son of Springfield, Ill. and H. J. Simms... The Garden Party which was given Wednesday last at the residence of Mrs. Clee Russell, 811 N. Elm for the benefit of people's hospital was a financial success. $15.00 was realized. Mrs. C. Russell wishes to thank all... Mr. J. Brown of St. Louis filled the stand at the First Baptist Church last Sunday in Rev. R. E. Lee's stead... Please all notice for the Argus to Webster 1436 Mrs. J. C. Lewis who will be in charge of the Argus in H. J. Simms stead... Mrs. Mildred Gleason and family entertained H. J. Simms with a very dainty dinner last Saturday... A summer school is now being conducted at Wellston. Not by Prof. T. A. Moore, from June 23 to July 8.

WICKLIFFE, KY.

By A. Durden.

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AMUSEMENTS AND SPORT

By H. T. A.

THEATRES

MELO-DRAMA AT THE BOOKER WASHINGTON THEATRE.

"Hardjack" Jackson and his Twentieth Century Players are putting on an old style melodrama at the Booker Washington Theatre this week. The playlet is entitled, "The Curse of Drink," and the action is reminiscent of the days of the old Bijou Theatre, before motion pictures began to drift theatregoers with wild west blood curdling plots. "The Curse of Drink" tells a story of a slave of old John Barleycorn who spent his time and money in a saloon, of bad repute, to the neglect of his faithful wife and young daughter.

True to the usual fate of such culprits, he was from bad to worse, ignores his family for a woman of the dive, goes broke and finds himself without friends. He drinks in misery, craving for just one more drink. (Of course there must be plenty of gin play), and the daughter of the improper pals an accidental victim at the hands of her own father. This same man later slays his adulterous mistress and is in turn killed by the drunkard. Jackson, as Joe Williams, the victim of drink, plays the part to perfection and the other members of the cast fill their assignments well. There is but one specialty introduced, this being a song, "Scrubbing the Brush." The playlet is giving excellent satisfaction. The engagement will close Sunday night.

HENRI BOWMAN AND COMPANY COMING NEXT WEEK.

"Bowman's Cotton Blossoms" will be the next attraction at the Booker Washington Theatre, beginning Monday night. The company is headed by W. Henri Bowman, St. Louis popular baritone tenor. The cast consists of ten performers of stellar reputation and is making a hit, in musical comedy and character acting, throughout the circuit. A special matinee will be given on Friday, July 4, and goes without saying that with the typhoon fans spreading their breezes throughout the house, this will be the most comfortable place to spend the afternoon on Independence Day.

"The Carter Case" which starts at The Booker Washington Theatre on Monday July 7, is said to be the best serial that has been put on the screen.

INDIAN LOGIC VERSUS "TRUE RELIGION" IN "THE SIGN INVISIBLE."

The clergyman in "The Sign Invisible" asks "Lone Deer," the giant hired, to come to church. Lone Deer replies: "Red man's God my God. My mother she white—she what you call love my father. She don' marry him. Then white church driver-her away. Red man take her in, but it wa' you call break her heart—she die—my father go away—then I am left alone." Clergyman: "But you mustn't judge us all by that." There are good and bad amongst us all." Lone Deer: "You say white man's God true God, but white man's God let his people into my mother out, so he no good. Red man's God he take her in, so I stick to him." See the Devotion of the Red Man in the great Indian drama, "The Sign Invisible," at the Comet Theatre, Sunday, June 29.

Jazzland Almost Ready

Tom Turpin's Jazz Dance palace, "Jazzland," will probably be ready to throw open the doors the latter part of next week. The place is beginning to reveal the artistic plans designed for the pleasure of lovers of dancing. The spacious hardwood floor is partitioned on two sides by a promenade containing double rows of tables for serving soft drinks and delicacies. There are also two mezzanine balconies, with tables, running the entire length of the building. There are many full-length mirrors and a profusion of artistic decorations. A reception room for ladies and gents is being fitted up. Jazzland will be a marvel of beauty and comfort when it opens to the public, and will cater only to the appreciative.

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Whites Start Race Riot In Chicago

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say the whites numbered 150 men.

Lieut. Fred Guerney of the Stockyards station and a squad had arrested about two score suspects yesterday, but only 11 were being held last night.

Lieut. Guerney refused to give the names of the men held, because, he explained, the Negroes might obtain vengeance by attacking the homes of those held.

"Won't Discriminate"—Alcock.

"The situation is most serious", First Deputy Police Alcock said last night. "We can do better meet it now than later. I have instructed the precinct commanding officers to see that their men do their duty. There will be no discrimination."

Battle Prearranged.

Yesterday morning's excitement appeared to have been prearranged. At 12:30 a. m. the Stock Yards station received a telephone call that a white mob was "out to kill all the blacks." A small squad of police was rushed out, but failed to connect with the gangsters. Knives, razors, billiard cues, clubs and several revolvers were picked up along the trail taken by the whites.

Yesterday's developments convinced police, city officials and others who have studied the racial problem that Chicago must deal with one of the most difficult situations in its history.

The actual conflicts between whites and Negroes come, it is pointed out, as to be expected climaxes to the series of home outrages perpetrated on the South Side in the last few months.

None of those who yesterday discussed the matter believed any policy of Negro residence segregation would offer solution.

Julius Rosenwald, who has given much time and money toward the development of the Negro people, said: "This racial problem in Chicago has been left too long awaiting solution. The newspapers can perform a big service by bringing the public to a realization of the seriousness of the problem."

"I have no panacea. This question is too big to be solved with an off hand word. It is our duty to begin studying it at once, for the situation is critical.

"Of one thing I feel certain—any policy of attempted segregation is out of the question."

Our own leaders are inclined to blame the rough element among the recent immigrants from the South, for the increasing evidence of friction as well as the tough whites who are embarrassed by the sensational daily newspapers. Movements are on foot among leading white and Colored organizations to get together in an effort to cope with the situation.

MOTIN ASKS RACE TO GIVE UP SATURDAY AFTERNOON HOLIDAYS

RALEIGH, N. C., June 28.—Dr. Robert R. Moton, of Tuskegee Institute, is organizing the race in the South into an association which pledges itself to work on Saturday afternoons as on other days. In 1918 the race in Alabama, it is alleged, made $24,000 as the result of their decision not to use Saturday afternoon as a holiday. There is a similar movement of the race are organized by pledge to work six full days throughout 1919.

Dr. Moton declared in an address here that much of the crime of the race, 75 per cent of it, is due to the Saturday afternoon holiday and the Sunday morning drunk.

REPUBLICANS FORM "LILY WHITE" PARTY DOWN IN FLORIDA

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., June 28.—The Colored people of Florida, with a generally known, according to a statement issued by a committee of citizens, that they are wide awake with reference to the "White Man's Republican Party," recently formed here by a group of "Lily Whites."

This effort has been tried before, but it has never gotten very far. And it is our belief that the National Republican party is not simply concerned in giving white voters here prominent and well paid jobs, but is also concerned in giving white voters here prominent and well paid jobs.

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BASEBALL

A. B. C.'S SERIES WITH GIANTS WILL START SUNDAY

Now, that Jupiter Pluvius seems to have run his course with the rain clouds, the St. Louis Giants will set down to work with some real scrappy baseball. The first exciting engagement will be with the Indianapolis A. B. C.'s on this Sunday. The same team will also play Monday and Tuesday.

The Giants will go to Belleville for a game on the morning of the Fourth, but will return for a game with the white soldier boys, the 135th infantry, in the afternoon. All of these games, promise to be full of pep and old-time excitement.

The Giants had an easy time shutting out "The Behrings" last Sunday. The writer has forgotten the exact score. Monday's game was postponed on account of wet grounds.

The White Sox are now ready for games and ask teams desiring to play them to write to or call at 1709 Goode avenue, Lindell 1924W. The lineup of the White Sox is: J. Smith, 1b; J. W. Bryce, ss; T. Miles, 2b; E. Poes, cf; K. Dean, lf; C. Jackson, 3b; A. Jasper, rf; Leon Howard, cf; L. Shaver, 3b; Williams and H. Watson, pitchers; F. Thompson, catcher; Alfred James, captain; W. H. Adams, 4114 Finney avenue, manager.

The Jefferson City, Mo., Red Sox continued their winning streak by defeating the first Colored team, in the capital city, last Sunday, by the score of 11 to 3. Baby Webb pitched outright ball for the Sox. The lineup of the Red Sox: Pugsi, ss; Myland, lf; Butler, 1b; Davis, rf; Motiron, 2b; Gray, cf; Thomas, c; Moore, 1b; Webb, p. Harry McNeal is manager.

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ASSOCIATION WILL PUBLISH HISTORY OF NEGRO IN THE WAR

WASHINGTON, June 26.—The Association for the Study of Negro Life and History convened in biennial session here June 17 and 18, at the Twelfth Street Branch Y. M. C. A. The reports for the year were heard, new officers elected, and plans for the coming year were formulated.

The chief interest of the meeting, however, centered around the addresses on "The Negro in the World War," by Julius Rosenwald, George Foster Peabody, Emmet J. Scott, George E. Haynes, W. T. B. Williams, Ralph W. Tyler, James H. Dillard and Thomas J. Jones. Every phase of the war history which the Negro helped to make was treated. Returned soldiers were invited to take part in the discussions.

The association worked out the plans by which it will collect data to write a "History of the Negro in the World War," just as soon as the treaty of peace is signed and documents now inaccessible because of the proximity to the conflict become available.

During the last two years the association has been able to move steadily forward in spite of the difficulties incident to the war. The subscriptions to the Journal of Negro History have gradually increased, and a number of philanthropists have liberally contributed to the fund now being used to extend the work into all parts of the country.

This work is being done by a field agent who organizes clubs for the study of Negro life and history and, through local agents, sells the publications of the association and solicits subscriptions to the Journal of Negro History.

In addition to publishing for four years the Journal of Negro History, a repository of truth now available in book form, the association has brought out also "Slavery in Kentucky," an interesting portraiture of the institution in that state, "The Royal Adventurers Trading into Africa," a study of the early slave trade and a "Century of Negro Migration."

The officers of the association are R. R. Park, president; J. E. Moorland, secretary treasurer, and C. G. Woodson, director of research and editor; also, with Julius Rosenwald, George Foster Peabody, James H. Dillard, John R. Mackay, R. R. Jones, A. L. Jackson, Thomas Jesse Jones, Sir Edmund Walker, Irving Metcalf, L. Hollingsworth Wood, Moorfield Storey and J. E. Phelps Stokes constitute the executive council.

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JULY 4-5
138TH INFT. VS. GIANTS

SOCIETY

AND LOCAL NOTES

Mrs. Sallie Bailey of 3147 Lacleede, left last week for Kansas City where she will make her future home.

Jas. H. Harris, violinist, formerly of 1118 Lawton, is now residing at 4247 West Belle.

Rudy L. Wright of 16 N. Garrison, an Argus newsboy, is spending his vacation in Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. Annie Clark of 3936 South Leffingwell is visiting Mrs. Beulah Stanley, 4513 Calumet avenue, Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Hattie P. Bryant of Waco, Tex., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Crepper of 3820 Cook avenue.

Mr. B. Watkins of Poplar Bluff, Mo., spent two weeks in the city in a sojourn at the Holiness Church of which Rev. W. W. Thompson is pastor.

Mrs. Corine Jones of 234 Beaumont is visiting relatives and friends in Chicago.

Mrs. Jimmie Simpson of 3625 Clark is visiting her sister at Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. Edward Garth, 706 Clarence avenue, entertained Mrs. Bennie Williams of Chicago, Ill., Thursday, June 19.

Mrs. Julia Shipton of 4220 West Belle has returned home after a stay of six weeks with her children in Chicago, Ill.

You will like the people you meet at the Literary and Musicale at Galilee Baptist Church, July 8th.

Mrs. Beatrice Mitchener Constantine, left Wednesday morning for Detroit, Mich., to join her husband, where she expects to make her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Williams of 4201W Lucky, had as their house guest for three weeks, Mrs. Ada Mills of Buxton, Iowa.

Mrs. L. Murry Knight, who has been teaching in Arkansas, returned to St. Louis to spend the Summer.

Mrs. Albert Nordman and daughter of Ft. Smith, Ark., are visiting Mrs. W. B. Arthur of 4312 West Cook.

Mrs. Mabel Hayes left Thursday evening for Kansas City, where she will visit relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Black of 3128 Lacleede gave a nice school breakfast Thursday, June 24, in honor of Mr. R. T. Page, a mail clerk on the L. & N. R. R.

Mr. Perle J. Clay, 4063 West Belle, was host to the Apple Club Wednesday evening, the 25th. The affair ended in an auto tour.

Miss Rosa Harris, 4097 Louisiana avenue, entertained informally Friday, the 20th, in honor of Mr. George Paris of New York who spent his vacation here.

Miss Shaiya Heard, 4033 West Belle; Misses Pearl Adams, Josephine Banks and Mrs. Mary Young are attending the Centenary Convention in Columbus, Ohio.

Rev. Simeon Williams left Saturday for Boykin, S. C., to visit his mother who is very ill. Before returning he will visit Charleston and Camden, S. C., Lexington, Ky., and other places.

Mrs. Charlotte Smith of 4458 Kennerly left Wednesday for a three months visit to Boston, Mo.

Mrs. Bertha Fikers of 4424 Lucky street gave a surprise birthday party Monday night in honor of her husband. She presented him a diamond stud.

Mrs. N. A. Sherwood of 3947 Clark has returned home from Paris and Highmore, Mo., where she visited relatives and friends.

Elder J. M. Saunders, pastor of church at Charleston, Mo., who visited the Holy Convention, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor of Indianapolis, Ind., are the guests of their cousin, Mr. Wm. H. Lee, of 4318a Lucky street.

Mrs. Jessie Parks Jones, N. E. G. Queen of U. B. F., and the N. G. Executive Board of R. M. T. in Chicago, June 18, and is now the house guest of her mother-in-law and other relatives.

Don't forget that the 20th Century Boys are giving one of the grand dances of the season at Pythian at Auditorium, 3127 Pine street, Wednesday night, July 2-3. From 9 p. m. to 1 a. m. Music by Orphans Orchestra. Admission 25 cents.

The Railway Mail Clerks' Alliance met in joint session with the auxiliary at Colored McAlister's residence on Cado Brilliant's Tuesday evening, June 24. A splendid literary program was rendered. The misses by Mrs. Williams, Clarendon Morrow and Bell. Mrs. Morrow recovered Capt. Pearing gave us a 20 minute talk on army life in France which was the real event of the evening. A standing vote of thanks was given him. The ladies of the auxiliary prepared a splendid repast and all went home at a late hour.

REMOVAL NOTICE.

Friend W. Rawlins, attorney, announces the removal of his law offices from 1707 Market street to 1311 Market street, Fifteen Cities Cafe.

Mr. Henry Shaw is in the city after several months in France.

Dr. N. L. Smith, pastor of Lone Tabernacle spent several days in Kansas City, Mo., this week.

Mrs. Sam E. Campbell, 4436 St. Ferdinand, has returned home after visiting her sister, Mrs. Jack Green, of Fremont, La.

Miss Alberta Tapp of Pine Bluff, Ark., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Emma Brown, of 1423 Morgan.

Mrs. Wm. Ransom and son of Kansas City, formerly of St. Louis, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Laura Allen, of 3710a Clarke avenue.

Mrs. Annie Dixon, of Tupelo, Miss., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lillie Mae Holmes, of 2611 Lawton.

Mrs. Rosa E. Lee, principal of a school at Arcola, Miss., and a resident of Greenville, Miss., is with friends at 2524 Morgan street.

Mr. W. H. Heard, of Oxford, Miss., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Ida Jenkins, of 4717W St. Ferdinand, where he will be pleased to see his friends.

Mrs. R. S. McWorter, postal clerk of West Belle, will leave Tuesday to spend a part of his vacation with his mother at Hadley, Ill.

Miss Farley of Kansas City, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. R. Reddick, 4027 West Belle, has returned home, accompanied by Mrs. Reddick and little daughter.

Mrs. Wm. Hogg of 3965a Finney left Sunday at dinner in honor of Mrs. George Davis of Henderson, Ky., also Mrs. Susie Gross and Mrs. Caroline Burks of Finney avenue.

Mrs. Ella Taylor and Mrs. Callie Sheldon left Tuesday for Boston, Mass. They will also visit New York City and Philadelphia before returning.

Miss Bertha Oden graduated from the Art Institute of Chicago on June 20th, and has returned to the city.

Lawrence Peterson, of 3450 Lawton avenue, left the city last Wednesday for Chicago, where he goes for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. Ada Dickerson of Indianapolis, assisted by Miss Katharine Cook gave a beautiful surprise shower to honor of Miss Blanche L. Oden, on June 19th.

Mrs. Wm. Rowan of Cape Girardeau is expected to join her husband, Mr. Rowan, in this city Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Rowan have purchased a beautiful home at 4358 Cook avenue, where they will reside. A daughter, Miss Mary Virginia, 16 years old, has entered the summer term of school.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ainsworth, 2812 Lucas, is quite ill of pneumonia. Mother Ainsworth was a Mo. Democrat. Mr. resident; and is 87 years old. Mrs. Emily Carey of Youngstown, O., a daughter, has been summoned.

The Bachelor Girls' Club met in their last meeting with Mrs. H. Herbert Stanton of Cook avenue on Tuesday afternoon. A partial report was made of the Y. W. C. A. benefit dance. The club disbanded for the summer months.

Mrs. Clyde Davis, Willie Evans and Edna Blanford of St. Paul, Minn., who have been visiting relatives at Sparta, Ill., will be guests this week at their cousin, Mrs. John Spencer of 4404 Cook avenue, parents home. Mrs. Spencer also visited relatives in Sparta.

Mr. Albert Keith, 65 years of age, a respected citizen and barber at Delmar and Hamilton, died June 21, at his home, 618 Cabanne court, and was buried Tuesday morning from St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church.

Mr. Morgan Baker, accompanied by Mr. B. Leary of Chicago and daughter, Miss Juanita O'Leary, and Miss Sarah Smith, teachers of Dunbar School, East St. Louis, attended Lucky shows at St. Peters Church, June 5.

Mrs. Chas. Morris and Miss V. Nabb of 2454 Lawton Ave. departed last Saturday night for Chicago, where they will make their home. Mrs. Morris was Miss Freddie Dee who will join her husband there and Miss Nabb will join her parents.

Miss Litha Freeman, 1108 West Belle, and Miss Edna Boyd, 4322 Ridge avenue, are in Chicago where they were present at the marriage of Miss Elaine Cook, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cook, to Lieutenant Bennie Jones, son of Rev. Father of the bride was formerly the pastor of St. Paul Chapel in this city.

The 20th Century Lodge met Monday night June 23, at their usual place 2922 Morgan. In account of the absence of the secretary, Mrs. Johnson Nichols, the business was left to be of a standstill. Mr. Nichols visited his former home, Helena, Ark., and while there set up a Patriarch of the G. U. O. of O. F. Jeffrey Parker, N. G.; Joshua Nichols, F. S.

Mrs. A. W. Scott, 4004 West Belle, who, returned the 22nd inst. from Lawrence, Kans. where she visited the commencement exercises of Kansas University, and on the way back spent several days with her twin sister, Mrs. Dr. R. H. Thompson, of Kansas City, Kans. The son, James Armstrong Scott, twice distinguished himself on that occasion securing the degree of S. B. from the College of Liberal Arts, also a diploma from the School of Education, and a scholarship to Harvard University.

Mrs. Adele Jenkins and Mrs. Beatrice Bell Shaw, will leave Saturday, June 28, to spend the Summer in Washington D. C., with their uncle.

Mrs. Priscilla Stewart of Hattiesburg, Miss., is the guest of her son Mr. W. J. Stewart, 4220 Finney ave.

Mr. E. W. Reed of 4161 Fairfax ave. was called to Holly Springs, Miss., on account of illness of sister.

Mrs. Bettie Wilford of Cadiz, Ky., is the week end guest of her sister Mrs. C. L. Tyler, 4030 Cook ave.

The Hush Relief Association, held a very interesting meeting last Sunday afternoon with Mr. Mose Smith, 5624 Virginia ave. At the close, refreshments were served.

A healthy, bouncing boy, weighing 12 pounds, was born unto Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Jacobs of 3138a Lawton avenue, June 23rd. Mr. Jacobs was in the last continental that was drafted by the U. S. Army, and is seeing service "overseas."

Mrs. Jesse Jordon, of 4348 West Belle, received a telegram last Monday from her husband, Sergt. Major Samuel Jordon, stating that he and his regiment, 367th Pioneer, arrived in Philadelphia, Monday morning. The regiment will get their discharge in a few days.

The Second Annual Picnic of the Women's Home Missionary Society of Union Memorial Church will be held July 11, at O'Fallon Park, grounds No. 1. Games, music and refreshments. Everybody welcome.

Dr. and Mrs. N. O. Bracy, 4243 Cook ave., entertained a number of friends on last Thursday, June 19, in honor of visiting relatives and friends—Rev. E. O. Woolfolk, New Orleans, La.; Mrs. Sara Sample Brown and Miss Kathryn Hunt of New York City, Mrs. Nonson Bracy, Jackson, Miss., and Mrs. J. M. Bracy, formerly of Tuscaloosa, Ala.

The Les Joyieux Club met at the residence of Miss Ella T. Madden, June 8. A delightful afternoon was spent. Miss L. Morby gave an interesting report of her visit to the Benton School. The Misses Andrews and Collins were guests. Miss Alma Logan highly entertained the Les Joyieux, June 20, at Forest Park. The number was smaller due to the fact that some of the girls are out of the city attending the University of Chicago. We wish for them a pleasant summer term. Miss Lillie Watkins of North St. Louis will entertain the club, at its next meeting.

The Four Leaf Clover Club held its regular meeting last Tuesday evening, June 24, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Westly Hopperson, 3934 Lucas avenue. The regular routine of business was taken up by the president, Mrs. Vera Jackson, after which one club was entertained by visitors as follows: Mrs. Johnson, select reading; Mrs. Green, oration, subject, "Multiplication;" Mrs. Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Moore were present. Recitation; "America," by M. Bowman; song, "Kiss Me," by Mrs. Jordan. During the social chat the dish was served by Mr. W. Hopperson. L. J., reporter.

Y.W.C.A.

The membership meeting of the Y. W. C. A. for June has been postponed until the last Friday in July. All members are urged to be present.

The Vesper services will be held six consecutive afternoons in July.

STOP, LOOK, AND LISTEN: All women and girls interested in spending their vacation at a beautiful camp some and register at the Y. W. C. A. A beautiful site has been located.

REGISTER SATURDAY, JUNE 28, AT 3 P. M.

CAMP OPENS JULY 1ST.

Miss Blanche Morris of Columbia, Mo., is conducting the work at the Wheatley Branch. She is a graduate of Nashville, where she will take charge of the Ravenshoe Hostess.

Miss Marian Hadley of Nashville left Wednesday evening for Louisville, Ky. Miss Hadley will be head of the Y. W. C. A. in Nashville. She has also been observing the work at the Wheatley Branch.

Y.M.C.A.

"PHYSICAL DEPARTMENT VOTES"

The Physical Department is becoming increasingly used during these sweltering days. The summer schedule allows for two big swims daily, at 10:45 a. m. and at 5:45 p. m. On last Saturday, 500 soldiers, en route to San Antonio, Texas, from overseas, spent an enjoyable hour in our swimming pool. Tuesday night was Swift Night in the Physical Department and about 200 of the swift employes and their families gathered for a good time. Blindfolded Boxing, Sidoor baseball and swimming were the attractions. The Wheelmen led by Capt. C. L. Thomas was a little too urgent for the visitors and at times succeeded in fairly bewildering them with their speed and baseball strategy. That good time concluded the excellent fitness of the Regular Gymnasium Men.

GRAND LAWN SOCIAL

There will be a lawn social given by St. Elizabeth's Auxiliary at 2721 Pine street, Saturday, June 28. Mrs. Theodosia Hall, president; Mrs. Rosa Bradford, secretary, Miss Aretha Blackman, treasurer.

NOTICE.

The Colored Paper Hangers will give their first grand ball and parlor social Friday, July 4, at the new park, Bridgeton, Mo. Take St. Charles car to Wolfenden, direct to Bridgeton. Newport Bridge Road direct for auto service. Good music and dancing. Refreshments of all kind.

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Allie Ruth Johnson	2830 Walnut	
Dave R. Gardner	1412 N. 12th	
Minnie Green	1412 N. 12th	
Will A. Moore	2641 Pine	
Lucille Vance	2825 Market	
John A. Campbell	4364 W. Cook	
Ella Mae Scott	4220W Palmer	
Willie Coolridge	209 S. 15th	
Laura Westfield	12 S. 21st	
Joseph C. Williams	2865 Morgan	
Lillie Steele	2706 Mills	
Wesley Slaughter	2909 Lawton	
Rosa Bell Morrow	707 N. Leffingwell	
John A. Wilkins	4133 West Belle	
Hattie B. Miller	4342 Cottage	
Hans Sheger	Dallas Tex	
Mrs. Mayme N. Lane	Kansas City	
Henry Haynes	2816 Lucas	
Mrs. Hattie Jones	3712 Lucas	
Louis Bernard Rogers	911 Biddle	
Beatrice Stanley	911 Biddle	
James Hill	4211 Finney	
Ada Belle DeLaney	4216a Garfield	
William Johnson	3330 Hulver	
Lillian Jones	3722 Vista	
John R. Smith	2011 Clark	
Mattie B. Lewis	2011 Clark	
Charlie Taylor	1521 High	
Mrs. Ellar Howard	921 High	
Babe Slaughter	Decatur, Ill.	
Marie Russell	Decatur, Ill.	
Eugene Hardeman	4004 Finney	
Mrs. Daisey E. Colley	3106 Morgan	
Robert Mason	3414 Rutger	
Yannie M. Austin	3414 Rutger	
Leo Gaborne	2160 Minerva	
Mae Mamie Tapp	2142 Minerva	
Herbert Russell	E. St. Louis, Ill.	
Theo. Davis	E. St. Louis, Ill.	
Tom Brown	2731 Pine	
Mrs. T. Clayborne	2731 Pine	
Charlie King	4528 S. Broadway	
Irma Clay	4000 S. Broadway	
Carl Raymond	2617 Papin	
Arvella Tyler	507 S. 23rd	
Walter Weaver	1371 S. Ewing	
Bunna Vaste McKell	2813 Bernard	

The Smith-Cunningham Nuptials

The crowning feature of the graduating season of St. Louis Schools was in the Spirit of Holy Matrimony at St. James' A. M. E. Church, when the high marriage ceremony of Miss Bertha B. Smith, a teacher in Benton School to Mr. Jasper L. Cunningham, a mail carrier of the St. Louis Postal Service was celebrated with exactness and decorum by the Rev. William Henry Peck, Ph. D. The Bridal chorus from Mendelssohn introduced the Page, Groom and Best Man who entered from the study.

The ushers Messrs. Walter Fearson, Harry Hopson, Fred Jones, Wm. P. Spencer and Ernest Padilio veiled the entrance of the bride's entourage, while the strains of "Lohengrin's bridal march and wedding" the classic stales of St. James, the pink Bridesmaid Miss Hattie Walker, appeared with a bridal bouquet on her shepherd staff and became Miss Ethel Hayes' in cerulean blue was followed by the Rose clad Matron of Honor Mrs. Edward Keene, while dainty little Gladys Diggs and Annie Laurie Nicholson in white silk straw rose petals in the bridal pathway.

The bride clad in a court down of white samite trimmed in silver and priceless lace was borne on the arm of her adoring uncle, Mr. Hill. Her fray whose dignified bearing was a splendid foil for her shrinking modesty.

The ceremony was impressive and inspiring. The ring was presented by the page, Master Wm T. Spencer, Jr. and at the close of the ceremony, Madame Olivette Smith, prima donna, rendered Gounod's celestial masterpiece, Ave Maria. After which Dr. Peck delivered the bridal exhortation and the benediction followed by the magically inspiring strains of Wagner's Bridal March. Mrs. Allen Richardson presided at the organ. The best man Mr. Ward B. Greer preceded the minor attendants from the altar, followed by the happy pair, matron of honor and the bridesmaids.

The groom's present to the bride was the beautiful apartment at 4533 Cook Avenue where the reception was held from 8 to 11 with the following bridal attendants in receiving: Best Man, Carlis Smith, Mrs. Rosa Cunningham, Miss Daisy Johnson, Miss Nellie Thompson, Mrs. Bertha Grant, Mrs. Bertha Hopson Mrs. Ward Greer and Mr. D. G. Hazan, cousin of the bride who made the trip from the Nation's Capital to redeem a promise made to the bride was five years ago, that he would come to her aid if ever doing. His gift was an exquisite mandarin robe from the southern grotto of Tokio, Japan. The happy couple are recipients of more than three hundred useful and valuable gifts.

Miss Arbelia Tyler and Sgt. Carl Raymond were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents, 507 South 23rd street, June 29, at 10 p. m. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dunavant. Mr. Raymond, who is a private of the 25th Infantry and has been stationed in Honolulu Island, is in St. Louis on his furlough. The bride and groom will leave Saturday on their Honeymoon for the Ozark Mountains. On their return they will make their home in Nogales, Ariz.

The newlyweds, Mr. Julius A. Davis, who was formerly Mrs. Florence Adams street, and Mr. Gustave Gavin accompanied by his little daughter, Esther, left quietly Tuesday morning on their honeymoon for Los Angeles, Cal., making a portion of the way with their son, M. G. Young, of the Pullman service, to Denver. They received a hand new $16 bill from the bride's son-in-law, J. R. Harrison, a handsome present from Mrs. Jessie Johnson, of Lombard and many more. All wishes and friends wish the trio a safe journey and success.

The road reps. T. M. C. A. paid a pleasant visit to the Y. M. C. A. last week.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Mitchell entertained their many friends by celebrating their fifteenth wedding anniversary at their residence, 4313 Cottage avenue, June 17. Invocation by Rev. Dr. Wm. Perry. Refreshments were served during which time music was rendered by their daughter, Miss Andrena Mitchell. Everyone had an enjoyable time.

The gifts, for which they are very thankful, are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. H. Polk, six crystal goblets; Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Herriot, cut glass sugar bowl; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scott, one down crystal wine glasses; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Nevins, cut glass napp. dish; Messrs. Davis, Weller, pottery vase; Mr. and Mrs. Steele, crystal salt and pepper set; Mr. and Mrs. Moseley, cut glass water pitcher; Mrs. Nettie Purcell, cut glass water bottle; Mr. and Mrs. Bell, cut glass salt and pepper shakers; Mr. and Mrs. Hoard, pair of linen pillow cases; Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, linen dresser scarf; Mrs. Reed and daughter, pair linen towels; Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, cut glass salt and pepper shaker; Rev. Dr. Wm. and Mrs. Perry, cut glass fruit dish; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Taylor, cut glass olive dish; Mr. and Mrs. Woods, cut glass berry bowl; Mr. McWilliams, cut glass flower vase; Mr. and Mrs. Burton, pair linen towels, Mr. and Mrs. G. Taylor, six linen napkins; Mrs. Robinson, linen dresser scarf; Mrs. Delay Jacobson six linen napkins, Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins, scenery picture; Miss Ina Jackson, linen table cover; Mr. and Mrs. Hobley of Keokuk, Iowa, cut glass mustard jar; Mr. G. T. Mitchell, beautiful lace hand bag.

HOSPITAL SUPERINTENDENT TO BE MARRIED JULY 3

Invitations are out announcing the coming marriage of Dr. Roscoe Chester Hackett, superintendent of City Hospital No. 2, and Miss Ida Bell Hall, a graduate nurse. The ceremony will take place next Thursday, July 3, at 6 o'clock, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. Gentry, 2422 Pine street. The couple will reside at the City Hospital No. 2 after August 1.

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ANNUAL SERMON.

The United Loyal Neighbors of the world, Eureka Camp No. 52, will hold their annual sermon at Lane Tabernacle C. M. E. Church, 2968 Fairfax Ave., Sunday, June 29. All Loyal Neighbors are requested to meet at the hall Monday, June 23.

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A VICTROLA FOR DELANEY

The Delaney School Parents' Association and Friday night. The proceeds from the recent picnic amounted to $95.81. The association voted to purchase a victrola, for the use of the school.

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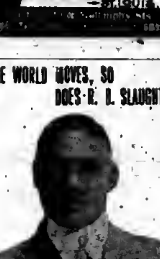

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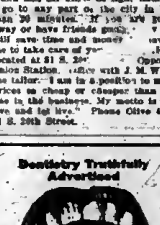

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Phoenix Lodge, No. 79, A. F. & A. M., meets on the regular communications, first Friday in each month. All Master Masons welcome.—Wm. Stanley, W. M.; Chas. R. Smith, secretary.

J. Q. Johnson Lodge No. 86, A. F. & A. M., holds its regular communication the first Thursday night of each month. All visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend. L. M. McBride, W. M.; J. W. Grant, Secretary.

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Onward Commandery No. 2, K. T., will hold their regular conclave on the third Tuesday night of each month at their asylum, 3619 Easton avenue. All Sir Knights are invited to attend. Samuel Morgan, E. C.; Wm. H. Goff, Recorder.

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MEACHAM PARK

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur James of Louisville, Ky., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Walker last Sunday. Mr. Arthur Bell left last Saturday for Detroit, Mich. Mrs. Shaw of St. Louis was the guest of Mrs. Hale last week. Mr. and Mrs. O. Pool of Mt. Vernon, Ill., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Lewis last week.

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By D. F. Baker.

The home of Miss Dayse F. Baker was a scene of great cheer Monday evening when twenty-five persons were assembled in splendid attire to be entertained in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Q. L. Murphy of Indianapolis, Ind., Mr. A. Simms, the honored musician of St. Louis and Miss L. Lagrena Mitchell the bookkeeper and efficient secretary of the Argus Publishing Co. The evening was one continuous round of gayety.... Misses Edith Cayce, Thelma Swink and Mitacada Baker furnished the music for the occasion. Vocal music was an attractive means of entertainment. Short talks were made by Messrs. A. Simms, A. Reed, Chas. Baker, Q. L. Murphy, Felix Poston, James Robinson and Miss Mitchell. Others present who assisted in making the evening worth while were: Misses Mettie Valle, Imogene Staten, Hortense Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. John Franks, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Cayce, Mr. Lewis Smith; Mesdames Clara Poston, Ada Murphy, Mayme Poathe, Susie Robinson and Ora M. Williams. Very early in the morning they went to their several abodes. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy will remain for a few weeks. The other guests have returned to their respective homes....At the M. E. Church Sunday, evening there was rendered a program by "home comers." The chief numbers were the adress by Mr. Q. L. Murphy on the subject of the great Centenary Movement and the timely address by Mr. A. Simms on the subject of "duty."...Miss Zelia Baker and Rev. Greenlee attended the S. S. convention at De Soto last week and report a splendid session....Mr. and Mrs. Scott Cale and grandson Master Kossuth enjoyed Sunday at Festus visiting relatives....A number of our boys are sailing and a rousing good time is expected when they reach their dear old "home."...Miss Virgie Merriman returned to St. Louis Monday after spending a week with home folks.... Queen of Honor Court expects to increase her number this week. It had grown so hot for the last few weeks that the goat was sent out on pasture. He'll return however for his official duties.

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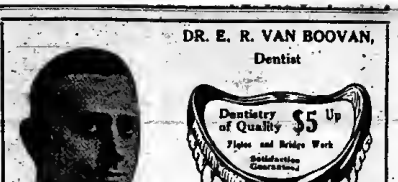

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Organized Labor Will Admit Race

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South, and even in Northern States was brought up by Frank Duffy, chairman of the resolutions committee, who put together the five resolutions brought in by the Negro delegation.

The requests were made in these resolutions for permission to organize as international union of skilled and unskilled Colored men, in view of the fact that some international unions obstinately refused to admit black men to membership or else place them in auxiliary locals without direct representation; for organizers in the various Southern States, preferably Negro organizers; complaint against the various metal trades international for refusing to admit Negroes, and a demand to have a Colored man permanently stationed at the A. F. of L. headquarters to look out for the interests of the Colored workers.

Duffy stated that to charter an international union of skilled and unskilled Negro workmen would be a flagrant trespass on the rights of the numerous international unions that were already accepting such workers as members. He declared that the American Federation of Labor was ready to organize any group of Colored workers that were refused admission into their proper international unions, as federal locals of the American Federation of Labor, and that the executive council was ready to give particular attention from now on to the organizing of Colored workers.

Samuel Gompers, president of the federation, declared after the session in which the Negro question was discussed that the A. F. of L. had taken an important and necessary step forward in the right direction when it so unconditionally held out the hand of fellowship to the Negro worker.

T. McCullough, one of the delegates of the International Typographical Union, who has been a tireless and earnest fighter on the floor of the convention, opened the debate by declaring that it was very wise on the part of the federation not to form separate organizations on racial lines.

He stated that in one large city in Kansas, from March to April this year, 43,000 Negro workers had left an independent union because they could not find a welcome in the existing labor organizations connected with the Federation.

Nevertheless, he said, the revolting feeling among the Colored men was that they should stand by the American Federation of Labor if they could get the equality of rights and the "democracy" of which so much was being talked about.

"If you can take in immigrants who cannot speak the English language, why can't you take in the Negro, who has been loyal to you from Washington to the Brotherhood of Freedom," he declared.

"We don't ask any favors from you. We ask for a chance to live like men, with equal rights and democracy for all. We do not ask for social equality. We ask for the same chance to make ahead for our families as the same salary our white workers are getting.

"Why Negro is ready to live for you and to die for you, with all his dirty treatment, his lynchings, his denial of equal rights the same as you have in earn bread for your families."

Robert P. Bradford, a Negro delegate representing a federal union of Pointe Coupee, Louisiana, pointed the finger of shame at the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks for Colored Freight Handlers all through the South, due to the fact that the union excluded Negroes from over them.

Gompers, the International Typographical Union, it was reported that Negroes have been admitted for the last 40 years.

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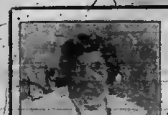

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MR. McDANIEL AND THE U. R. INVESTIGATION

Circuit Attorney McDaniel has intimated that he would ask the "public spirited" people of St. Louis to contribute to a fund in order to raise ten thousand dollars for investigations and prosecutions in the cases growing out of the burglary and theft of the referendum petitions which there has been so much talk of recently.

We have had a deal of confidence in Mr. McDaniel's acts and conduct with reference to the U. R. cases until it has been intimated that he would ask the Civic or the Referendum League to raise the money. Mr. McDaniel cannot afford to be a party to the schemes that have been used by the promoters of the Referendum League to get money from the public under the guise of doing some work for the good and promotion of the welfare of the city.

Frank Lawrence and his gang are always ready to promote any scheme where they can get their hands in the pockets of the public. Let the thoughtful look up the records of these so-called Civic Leagues, and it will be found that nothing has been done by them that is worthy of confidence of the public. They are always opposed to the progress of the city. Because of their activites the city of St. Louis has spent over one hundred thousand dollars for which it has received nothing in return but it has had name in the eyes of the progressive cities of this country.

If Mr. McDaniel calls upon the Civic League for raise the $10 that he says he needs that he may be able to do his duty in the United Railways case, we feel appealing to the Circuit Attorney in the name of honesty, law and order, not to put the raising of that money into the hands of this so-called referendum League.

The promoters of these money-getting schemes have learned one thing, that a large number of people don't seem to notice, and that is, to prey upon the prejudice of the people. They got their start by promoting a residential segregation ordinance in this city. They next tried the U. R. deal, then the recall of Mayor Kiel, all of which called for a deal of money to help the boys out. They do not have to make any report to the public of the money they receive or spend so now Mr. Circuit Attorney can you afford to be alligted with such a crowd? We don't think so.

EMMETT SCOTT AT HOWARD

The announcement that Prof Emmet Scott, who has been closely connected with Tuskegee Institute for the past twenty years, has accepted the position as Secretary-Treasurer of Howard University, Washington, D. C., has caused some speculation on the part of those who have watched the leadership among the Negro race in America. Whether it is Mr. Scott's purpose to put more of the Tuskegee idea into Howard University or whether it is his purpose to put more of the Howard idea into Tuskegee is the question that, no doubt, time alone will tell.

Tuskegee and Howard are prominent factors in the lives of the men and women of our race. The influence of Kelley Miller and Prof. Cook have followed the Howardites while the influence of Booker T. Washington and Emmett Scott have followed those who have finished at Tuskegee. There is yet a division among the people as to which class we look to for future leadership.

The two years service as assistant Secretary of War has taught Mr. Scott many valuable lessons. He has had the opportunity to give public expressions of his view on the race question quite often. As time rolls on he has become bolder and boldar in his expressions. As assistant Secretary of War he has been in a position to see and know more of inside facts than any other man of our race. These things have had their effect upon his life. He cannot be an apologist for those who would wrong his race. Hence the speculation about his going to Howard in such a high official capacity.

The people of the Nation will eye him in his new field, and with open ears will they listen to his expressions even more than they did when he was active as Assistant Secretary of War.

The reconstruction and adjusting conditions will require sober thought and judgment. The educated will have a great influence in shaping our destinies, whether from Tuskegee or Howard.

IRISH QUESTION IS NOT IDENTICAL WITH OUR TROUBLE

No One Questions Legality of England's Rule. Conditions Imposed on Negroes in South is Direct Violation of the Constitution of United States.

By Associated Negro Press

NEW YORK, June 26—The bringing of the "Irish Question" into the Peace Conference, has caused the American delegation no end of embarrassment, because that question has been regarded as strictly domestic. It has been argued by many different people that if the Irish be permitted to air their grievances before the conference, the Negroes of America have the same right, and many of the delegates from various nations have taken that stand.

Concerning the logic of it, the New York Sun, daily says:

"Now if the Irish question is loaded with dynamite, the Negro question is loaded with TNT. Outside of Ireland nobody questions the legality of the kingdom's rule in that island, and inside of Ireland a good many persons do not question its legality, however much they object to it as a political fact. But inside the United States and outside of the United States everybody knows that the political conditions imposed upon the Negro in the South are brutality, openly and completely illegal. That condition is indeed possible, the Negro is direct violation of the Constitution of the United States, and the violations of the Constitution is tolerated with the full knowledge and consent of a large majority of the white population of this country, North and South.

MADDEN INTRODUCES HIS "JIM CROW" BILL

By Associated Negro Press

CHICAGO, June 24.—Congressman Martin Madden, of this city sent to Congress on the votes of Colored citizens, has introduced his annual "jim crow" opposition Bill, and it has created the same little ripple that it usually does.

Congressman Madden has the habit of introducing these bills and sending copies of same to his "worthy constituents," but the bills never get beyond committee. There are a great many people who have become doubtful of the congressman's sincerity of purpose, and look dubiously on the outcome of this new Bill, which is all right if it passes.

The Republican "Jim Crow" Review, white, states: "No doubt there is a good bit of politics in his proposition, but it serves to divert the good feeling between the races." It is very natural, nevertheless, that there is much good feeling between the races on account of "Jim crow" born in the South.

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Labor Shortage In The South

The shortage of labor in the South has been the cause of quite a number of meetings being held in that section of the country, to devise ways by which labor may be induced to go to the South to help till the soil. These meetings are attended by both white and Colored and a general understanding has been had between the races according to a statement made by Mr. A. M. Shelby, of Greenville, Miss.

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During his service in France as First Lieutenant 365th Infantry, he was twice recommended for promotion to the grade of captain. Since his return to the United States, Captain Fearing appeared before a board of officers at Camp Pike, Arkansas and passed an examination for appointment as an officer in the regular army, and was recommended to the War Department for appointment as captain in the parmanent army.

DEED OF ADOPTION.

A deed of adoption was granted Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mitchell, in the case of Orvel Williams in Juvenile Court, June 20th, giving them the custody and full control of the boy as if he was their natural child. The deed carries with it the change of name from Orvel Williams to Orvel J. Mitchell. Hutchins Tom acted as attorney.

CHRISTIAN SPIRITUAL CHURCH,
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Sunday evening, June 27th, special service will be held at Christian Spiritual Church, 2727 Lawton avenue. Arrangements have been made to entertain a large crowd, as it is expected that some noted mediums from the West land will be present.

An interesting program will be rendered. Proceeds will be for the building fund.

King's Daughters Club will serve refreshments. Everybody welcome.

J. B. Weatherford, Rector.
L. Cooper, Secretary.

ARIA COURT ELECTS.

At their regular monthly meeting last Tuesday evening, Mrs. Lottie Johnson was elected Worthy Counselor of Aria Court No. 1. Order of Calanthe for the ninth term and the session was honored with the presence of Miss Bertha T. Buckner, Gr. Worthy Counselor, who conducted the election and made and harmony prevailed during the entire session.

The report of the officers showed the court to be in a prosperous condition. During the past six years the membership has increased from 33 to 101.

After the election, a reception was tendered the Grand Worthy Counselor, visitors and officers. Honored guests present were, Mrs. Annie B. Mackey and Mrs. Lizzie Ross. Miss Lizzie Smith was chairman of the reception committee which prepared such a nice banquet. Other officers elected were: Mrs. Bessie Sanders, register of deeds; Mrs. Pauline Green, register of accounts, and Mrs. Mattie Malone, treasurer.

Mr. J. C. Hick's and Miss Odessa are visiting indefinitely with friends in Jefferson City.

Mr and Mrs. D. W. Anthony, Jr., are on their way to Washington, D. C. Mrs. Anthony has received degree A. B. at Oberlind, June, 1919. They are the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Anthony, Sr. and family.

Mrs. Gena Mallory-Parker wishes to thank her many friends who so kindly assisted her in making her "Tom Thumb" Wedding and Lawyers program at Quinn on June 19th a glowing success.

The St. Louis Argus $1.50 per year in advance.

DEATHS OF THE WEEK

Solar Snell 405 S. 18th St. ..... 8 mo.
Mary Craig, 2316 Market 71
Mattie Hale, 3540 Laclede Ave. 71
Kyci Burrow, 1647 Olive 65
Mattie Price, 4316 Cook 21
Wm. Curtis, 1010 Carr 27
Wm. Jackson, 1518 Market 45
Katie Handcock, 401 S. 19th St. 73
Albert Keith, 4164 W. Cabanne 68
Albert C. Clark, 2129 Walnut 54
Callie Whitler, 1901 Koechiaski 71
Fannie Hendrix, 2711 Walnut 38
Carrie Williams, City Hospital 60
Amelia Levy, 4335 Lucky 66
Anton DeCher, Danville, Ill. 78
Edrie Dyer, 2610 Stoddard 6
James Harris, 1235 LaSalle 54
Martin Jackson, 2324 Papin 63
C. L. Shannon, 1553a S. 2nd 34
Sam Lucas, City Hospital 73
Mary Mitchell, 814 N. 22nd St. 38
Infant Brown, 1705 Gratiot 6
Addie Hall, 206 S. 22nd St. 35

IN MEMORIAM.

In loving memory of our dear father, George Valls, who departed this life June 26, 1918.

Just a year ago you left us,
How we miss you, father dear!
And remember all your kindness,
As we drop a silent tear.
Rest in peace, thy cares are ended,
Rest in peace, thy work is done.
You are gone, where those who loved you,
Soon are coming, one by one.

Sadly missed by children and grandchildren, Mrs. Juanita S. Brantley, daughter

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to thank my many friends for the kindness shown me during the illness and death of my husband, Albert Clark, who departed this life Friday, June 13. I especially thank Father Clarke for his consoling remarks, also Undertaker Russell for efficient service. Mrs. Virginia Clark, wife.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving remembrance of Baby William Stewart, who died June 13, 1918.

Rest in peace, my dear baby,
Years may go but memories stay;
You are gone but not forgotten.
For we shall meet you some sweet day

Days of sadness still come over me,
Tears in silence often flow;
For memory keeps you ever near us,
Though you died one year ago.

Sadly missed by friend Miss Bertha Wilburn

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our, neighbors and friends for kindness shown us, during the illness and death of our darling mother, Ann M. Smith, and the their beautiful floral offerings. St. Mary's Court, United Sisters and Russell Undertaking Co., for their efficient services. Also Rev. C. A. Williams for his consoling remarks.

Anna M. Smith, Augustine Board, Tillie McCluskey, daughters; Robt. McCluskey, James Board, sons-in-law.

AGED LADY DIES

Mrs. Amelia Leavy, 76 years old, of 4335 Lacky street, died Friday evening, June 20, and was buried Monday from Mt. Zion Baptist Church. The deceased was a Mississippian by birth and a member of the Mt. Zion Church 25 years. She possessed a kind and loving disposition and was loved by a host of friends.

She slalled along a rugged path,
With burdens sore distressed;
Until the voice of Jesus said,
"Come unto me and rest.

Her suffering ended with the day,
Yet lived she at its close;
And breathed the long, long night away
In statuelike repose.

But when the sun in all its state,
Illumed the eastern skies;
She passed through Glory's morning gate,
And walked in paradise.

HOUSTON CITIZENS ASK GOVERNMENT TO PAY DAMAGES

CHICAGO, June 26.—Houston citizens who suffered personal and property losses during the mutiny of Negro soldiers on August 23, 1917, may be paid for all damages suffered at that time if a bill that Senator Morris Sheppard has introduced into the senate is finally passed. The bill provides for the investigation by the court of claims of all complaints for damages made by Houston citizens as a result of the mutiny, according to advices received from Washington Wednesday night.

The bill was introduced in the senate during the last session by Senator Sheppard, but no action was taken on it. Under the bill these cases against the government cannot be instituted until congress authorized the court of claims to proceed with the investigation.

Major John H. Crooker, who was district attorney at the time of the riots and active in preparing claims for personal and property losses, said Wednesday night, there was about 15 claimants. The amount asked for in reparation at first was more than $50,000. Major Crooker said, but this was cut down at Washington to about $35,000.

Nation Against Lynching Says Prof. Isaac Fisher

CHESTER, Pa., June 27.—St. Paul's Episcopal Church was opened for an evening mass meeting during Negro Week, at which Prof. Isaac Fisher, University editor of Fisk University, Nashville, Tenn., a graduate of Tuskegee and one of the ablest Colored leaders, spoke forcefully and convincingly to white and Colored people on "The Ideals of Human Brotherhood." Professor Fisher said:

"No movement ought to come to the place where it centers the attention of Negroes too much as their own problem. The Negro is part of a great human problem. He is only one unit in the human family. Each of all that we may do for any race group should be one principle of justice. In all our reasoning with white people we ought to be guided by the principle of cooperation which worked so well during the war; to see that justice is done to all men, regardless of class or race; to surround judgment on those who have not yet had their chance; and to realize that the conscience of the people is the United States is mobilizing against lynching."

NEGRO UNION IN PINA BLUFF

PINE BLUFF, Ark., June 26.—The Negro freight handlers of Pine Bluff have organized a branch of the American Federation of Labor, to be known as the Federal Labor Union. The union now has a membership of 86 members.

COLORED SCHOOL SUPERVISOR

RALEIGH, N. C., June.—The state board of education has elected A. T. Allen to succeed E. C. Sams as supervisor of Colored rural schools, and secretary of the white board of examiners. Mr. Allen is a member of the state board of examiners.

ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Father Clarke went to Quincy, Ill., last Tuesday, by special invitation, to assist in the ordination of Dr. Ira C. Young, of St. Louis, to the priesthood. The ceremony was performed in the Cathedral of Quincy by the Bishop of the Diocese. Jack Gossin accompanied Father Clarke and acted as one of the acolytes and swung the incense. Dr. Young has been active in church circles in St. Louis as a lay reader and in the Brotherhood of St. Andrew. He assisted in the services at All Saints on Easter Day.

There will be Holy Communion this Sunday at 7 a. m. Morning Prayer at 11 a. m., the sermon, and Evening Prayer at 8 p. m.

Everybody is welcome.

AFRICA IMPORTANT IN WORLD'S POLITICS FOR NEXT TEN YEARS

"Has 138,000,000 Discontented People," Says Doctor Starr of the University of Chicago. Liberia Alone, Can Save The World From Chaos.

By Associated Negro Press

CHICAGO, June 26.—"Africa and only Africa, will be important in the world's politics for the next ten years," says Dr. Frederick Starr of the University of Chicago, anthropologist, traveler and lecturer. "Africa may cost what is left of Europe, for Europe has neither the men nor the money to maintain dominion over Africa. Africa has 138,000,000 discontented people.

"Europe is sending back to Africa tens of thousands of black men, who have been trained to face white men under arms. These black men, who have been denied arms in the past, can manufacture their own weapons in the future.

"Liberia is the only hope of Africa. Liberia may save the world from chaos. It is the greatest marvel of the eighteenth century, and I mean to make my exhibit of Liberia and Congo Free State so vivid and so real that it will impress these facts on all who come to the Methodist centenary celebration in Columbus June 26 to July 13.

Dr. Starr has postponed what will be his ninth trip to Japan in order to be present and supervise the display of his curios at the centenary celebration.

"Liberia," says Dr. Starr, "represents the largest thing the black man has ever accomplished. It is at present represented before the peace commission of Europe, with plans that territory enjoyed (taken from it by France and England) shall be restored.

"Liberia represents the only expression of self-government in Africa and I am not speaking as a radical when I say that this is the only hope of the continent.

"Egypt is in a ferment. Morocco is held by force of arms. That which was German Africa will not be content under mandatory of any other nation. Leading French and English military and civil authorities have often said, by word and in writing, that with any considerable evidence of disorder their African possessions cannot be held by the number of men and the amount of money they can afford to spend on them."

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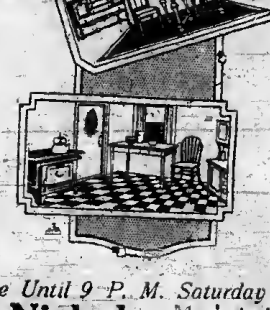

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